

STATUS OF THE CLAIMS:

The claims of the above-identified patent application are as follows:

1. (Original) A method of treating acne comprising topically administering to a mammal in need of treatment therefor an effective amount of a composition comprising (a) a compound selected from the group consisting of synthetic retinoids, natural retinoids, retinol and (b) a nondenatured botanical extract having trypsin-inhibiting activity.
2. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein said retinoid is selected from the group consisting of a synthetic retinoid, retinoic acid, esters of retinoic acid and retinol.
3. (Original) A method according to claim 2 wherein said retinoid compound is retinoic acid.
4. (Original) A method according to claim 2 wherein said retinoid compound is retinol.
5. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein said nondenatured botanical extract is selected from the group consisting of the botanical families leguminosae, solanaceae, gramineae, cucurbitaceae and a mixture thereof.
6. (Original) A method according to claim 5 wherein said botanical family is leguminosae.
7. (Original) A method according to claim 6 wherein said legume is selected from the group consisting of: nondenatured soybean extract, nondenatured limabean extract, nondenatured blackbean extract and mixtures thereof.
8. (Original) A method according to claim 7 wherein said extract is selected from the group consisting of: fractions of nondenatured soybean extract, nondenatured limabean extract, nondenatured blackbean extract and mixtures thereof.
9. (Original) A method according to claim 8 wherein said extract is selected from the group consisting of nondenatured soybean milk, nondenatured limabean milk, nondenatured blackbean milk, nondenatured soybean extract, nondenatured limabean extract, nondenatured blackbean extract, nondenatured soybean paste, nondenatured limabean paste and nondenatured blackbean paste and mixtures thereof.
10. (Original) A method of treating acne comprising topically administering to a mammal in need of treatment therefor an effective amount of a composition comprising (a) a compound selected from the group consisting of synthetic retinoids, natural retinoids, retinol and (b) a nondenatured soybean extract having trypsin-inhibiting activity.

Claims 11-62 (Canceled)